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Grace F. Napolitano
Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
31st District of California

March 31, 2023

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the **East First Street and Baseline Road Street Improvements Project** in fiscal year 2024.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the **City of Azusa**, located at **213 E. Foothill Blvd., Azusa, CA 91702**.

The funding would be used for several improvements between Azusa Avenue and Citrus Avenue along the 1-mile stretch of First Street/Baseline Road. This will include adding Class IV bike lanes in both directions, installing raised medians, roadway surface restoration, installing and repairing sidewalks, upgrading ADA curb ramps, installing thermoplastic pavement marking and striping, and traffic signal modifications. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will ensure safer, more accessible transit and pedestrian routes through a critical corridor of the community which serves as a key connector to Downtown Azusa, nearby metro stations, Azusa Pacific University, Citrus College, city services, and local businesses.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 23 USC 133.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Grace F. Napolitano
Member of Congress